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Illustrated guide to Athens and the environs from the handbooks for travellers of Baedeker, Joanne, etc. N. Y., G. E. Stechert & Co., [1906.] 7+64 p. S. bds., *50 c. net.

Inspector Stark, (*pseud.*) The great green diamond; or, thief against thief. N. Y., Street & Smith, [1906.] c. 3-224 p. D. (Magnet detective lib.) pap., 10 c.

Lamb, Edith M. What the baby needs. [Balt., Md., Nunn & Co., 1906.] c. front. S. cl., \$1.

Not a medical book, but a simple statement by a woman of experience concerning the care of babies, the necessary outfit, diet and hygiene. Recommended by Dr. H. A. Kelly, Professor of Gynaecology, Johns Hopkins University.

Leaver, Ja. Marshall. Box making for profit: being a series of discussions of the cost of making boxes; with talks on methods of grading as proposed by the National Association of Box Manufacturers, as well as remarks on general box making practice. Milwaukee, Wis., Packages Publishing Co., 1906. c. 128 p. 16°, cl., \$1.

Life insurance: recommendations of the Armstrong Committee and the insurance bills before the New York legislature. Brooklyn, N. Y., Office of the *Brooklyn Daily Eagle*, [1906.] c. 31 p. Q. (Brooklyn Eagle lib.) pap., 10 c.

Lyman, H: M., M.D. Hawaiian yesterdays: chapters from a boy's life in the islands in the early days. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1906. [Mr 17.] c. 12+281 p. il. maps, O. cl., *\$2 net.

Dr. Lyman's parents, newly married, sailed from New Bedford in November, 1831, as missionaries to the Hawaiian Islands. After almost six months' voyaging in a small whaleship around the Horn, they reached Honolulu, and were assigned to duty at Hilo, on the island of Hawaii. There Dr. Lyman was born and spent all of his early life until he came to the United States to enter college. His book is a picture of island life before it had been affected by modern civilization. He tells of childhood play and work, of chance visitors, and native customs, as well as the experiences of the devoted band of missionaries, their struggles and successes.

Macleod, Fiona, [alleged *pseud.* for W:

Sharp.] *The mountain lovers.* N. Y., J: Lane Co., (The Bodley Head,) 1906. 5+ 241 p. D. cl., +\$1.50.

Second English edition. Also published in this country in 1895 by Roberts Bros. See note in "The Annual American Catalogue," 1895.

Marston, E.: ["The Amateur Angler," *pseud.*]

Fishing for pleasure and catching it, and two chapters on angling in North Wales, by R. B. Marston. [N. Y., Scribner, imported,] 1906. 14+152 p. il. 12°, cl., *\$1.25 net.

Fourteen chapters describing various holiday and other angling excursions in 1903, 1904, 1905, and two chapters on salmon and trout fishing in North Wales. Also tells Longfellow's story of Hiawatha's fishing feats in prose interspersed with quoted verse; and gives some legends of fish and other "scraps" to tell around the Christmas fireside. Has fifteen pictures of the trout streams of England and Wales.

Meyer, Kuno. Contributions to Irish lexicography. v. 1, pt. 1, A-C. [N. Y., G. E. Stechert & Co.,] 1906. 31+573 p. O. cl., *\$6 net.

This dictionary is the outcome of about twelve years desultory reading of Middle- and early Modern-Irish books and manuscripts. The author explains that if from the outset he had made his excerpts in a systematic and methodical manner his lexicon would have been more complete. The vocabulary of no single book or manuscript is fully represented. Words established by Windisch in his "Wörterbuch," or by Atkinson in the glossary to his "Passions and homilies," have been omitted, but words from the smaller glossaries used in accompanying editions of separate texts have been included. There are thirty pages of addenda and corrigenda already for this volume, which show the scholarly and untiring work that has been put into this lexicon.

Murray, Ja. A: H.: [and others,] eds. A new English dictionary on historical principles, founded mainly on the materials collected by the Philological Society. [Reissue in monthly parts.] [F. and Mr. pts. of v. 7.] O-orblet. N. Y., Oxford University Press, (Amer. Branch,) 1906. 176 p. f°, pap., ea., 90 c.

New York [State.] Supreme ct. Reports of cases in the appellate division; Marcus T. Hun, rep. v. 108, 1905. Off. ed. Albany, N. Y., J. B. Lyon Co., [1906.] c. 46+420 p. O. shp., *\$3 net.

Pateronster, G. Sidney. The cruise of the *Conqueror*: being the further adventures of the "Motor pirate"; with frontispiece by Frank T. Merrill. Bost., L. C. Page & Co., 1906. [Mr.] c. 317 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

Introduces the same characters as in the author's automobile detective story, "The motor pirate." That incredibly wicked and resourceful pirate Manning comes to life again seven years after his plunge from the cliffs of Land's End. He and his rival, Jim Sutgrove, are again pitted against each other, only this time the action takes place on the ocean, mostly in motor boats. But at the conclusion of the story the pirate's fate is again a mystery; his crimes still unpunished.

Pepper, C. M. *Panama to Patagonia: the Isthmian Canal and the west coast countries of South America.* Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1906. [Mr24.] c. 20+397 p. il. maps, O. cl., *\$2.50 net.

Author is a well-known journalist and traveller, as well as author of "Tomorrow in Cuba;" also member of the Permanent Pan-American Railway Committee. The purpose of this work is to consider and describe the effect of the Panama Canal on the west coast countries of South America since 1905. Accordingly, he limits himself to industrial, fiscal and political information, subordinating the historical and purely descriptive. He shows the indus-

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Poe, Edgar Allan. Selected poems and tales of Edgar Allan Poe; ed., with introd. and notes, by Charles Marshall Graves. N. Y., Silver, Burdett & Co., [1906.] c. 30+158 p. 16°, (Silver series of English classics.) cl., 35 c. Bibliography.

Portal, Frederic, (Baron de.) A comparison of Egyptian symbols with those of the Hebrews; tr. from the French by J. W. Simons. N. Y., Macoy Publishing and Masonic Supply Co., 1904, [1906.] c. '03. 85 p. il. D. cl., \$1.

Preusser, R. F. Brain food for old and young; one hundred and seventy-eight compositions: [poems.] Wash., D. C., [R. F. Preusser,] 1906. c. 173 p. S. pap., \$1.

Rathborne, St. George. Dr. Jack's talisman; or, the gold scarabaeus. N. Y., Street & Smith, [1906.] c. '05. 3-248 p. D. (Eagle ser. of popular fiction.) pap., 10 c.

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The son, a graduate of Princeton, wishes to study for the ministry. His father points out to him that the profession of theology is on the wane, but he argues that this present phase of neglect of religion is only temporary. Then follows the long argument on hell, the father showing that hell is a mental condition only, and that an absolutely just God could not sanction the realization of that Christian dogma. The son decides to become a preacher and uses much of his father's common sense in the pulpit.

Shaw, J. Austin. The best thing in the world: good health, how to keep it for a hundred years: a record of the most wonderful fast in the world's history. Norwich, Ct., C. C. Haskell & Co., 1906. c. 8+125 p. il. por. 12°, linen, \$1.

Smith, Mrs. Hannah Whitall. Living in the sunshine: [a religious study.] N. Y. and Chic., Revell, 1906. [F26.] c. 254 p. 12°, cl., *\$1 net.

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Spofford, Mrs. Harriet Elizabeth Prescott. Old Washington; with a frontispiece from a drawing by G. Alfred Williams. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1906. [Mr.] c. 5+279 p. D. cl., +\$1.50.

Five stories set against the background of Washington in the days just after the Civil War. Contents: A Thanksgiving breakfast; A guardian angel; In a conspiracy; A little old woman; The colonel's Christmas.

Thompson, C: Willis. Party leaders of the time: character studies of public men at Washington, Senate portraits, House etchings, snapshots at executive officers and diplomats, and flashlights in the country at large. N. Y., G: W. Dillingham Co., [1906. Mr.] c. 422 p. pors. D. cl., **\$1.75 net.

The author has for years been the Washington correspondent of the *New York Times* and *Philadelphia Public Ledger*, and has had opportunities to study facts which he has set down without fear or favor concerning men who make the United States Laws and are much talked of and often but little known. Thirty-two portraits add interest to the book. Begins with a frank study of the contrasting elements of character of President Roosevelt, and includes a sketch of Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, who was so long the dean of the diplomatic corps. Though not "party leaders" these have greatly influenced life in Washington.

Thruston, Mrs. Lucy Meacham. Called to the field: a story of Virginia in the Civil War. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1906. [Mr.] c. 9+340 p. D. cl., +\$1.50.

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Tower, Ja. Eaton, ed. Springfield present and prospective: the city of homes, the sources of its charm, its advantages, achievements and possibilities, portrayed in word and picture; text by Eugene C. Gardner, William Orr, J. Frank Drake, C: Goodrich Whiting, Judge A. M. Copeland and others; drawings by Ja. Hall and G: Clarence Gardner. Springfield, Mass., Pond & Campbell, 1905. 18+214 p. il. pls., 12°, cl., \$3; mor., \$5.

Towne, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones. The life power and how to use it. Holyoke, Mass., Mrs. Elizabeth Jones Towne, [1906.] c. 176 p. por. S. cl., \$1.

Practical consideration of various aspects of the New thought philosophy—concentration, vibration, the informing and indwelling spirit, etc.

Two hundred and fiftieth anniversary (The) of the settlement of the Jews in the United States: addresses delivered at Carnegie Hall, New York, on Thanksgiving Day, 1905; together with other selected addresses and proceedings. [N. Y., New York Co-operative Society, 1906.] 13+262 p. il. D. cl., gratis.

This anniversary celebration was suggested by the board of trustees of the Congregation Shearith Israel of New York, the oldest Jewish congregation in the United States. The special event to be commemorated was the grant of settlement of the Jews in New Netherland by the Dutch West India Company, 1655. Arrangements were made for a public

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Watts-Dunton, Theodore. The coming of love: Rhona Boswell's story, and other poems. N. Y., J: Lane Co., (The Bodley Head,) 1906. 35+302 p. por. D. cl., *\$2 net.

Although the 7th English edition, this is the first one issued in the United States. The title poem, first published in 1897, is a sequel to "Aylwin," though published earlier. It tells the love story of Rhona Boswell, the English gipsy, and Percy Aylwin. The second long poem, "Christmas at the Mermaid," introduces Ben Jonson, Raleigh, Drayton Chapman, and other choice spirits of the Elizabethan era, members of the Mermaid Club, while listening to the story of David Gwynn, who as a galley-slave crippled the great Armada before it reached the Channel. The last third of the book is made up of miscellaneous poems.

Wayland-Smith, F. Materialism and Christianity. Kenwood, N. Y., F. Wayland-Smith, 1906. c. 36 p. S. pap., 25 c.

Author believes that the great change for the worse which has taken place in America within the past few decades, in regard to its standards of morality, social, political, and commercial, is due to a change in our religious beliefs. The theory of evolution has fostered the growth of materialism, while Higher Criticism of the Bible, advocated by leading men in all branches of the church, has undermined our faith. The author makes a plea for a return to old beliefs, in a personal God, a personal devil, and a literal interpretation of the Bible.

Welch, Ja. W: The achievements and abilities of the blind. Columbus, O., Press of F. J. Heer, 1905. c. 3+518 p. pors. D. cl., \$1.50.

By a graduate of the Ohio Institution for the Blind. Tells of his experiences during the seventy odd years of his life as piano tuner, horse breaker, travelling concert player, school teacher and lawyer. Also contains sketches of other blind men and women who have wrested success from adverse conditions. Addresses delivered at commencements and alumni meetings by noted educators of the blind are given, discussing possibilities of the education of the blind and fields of labor open to them.

Woods, D: Walker, jr. John Witherspoon: [a biography.] N. Y. and Chic., Revell, 1906. [Mr6.] c. 295 p. 12°, cl., *\$1.50 net.

Zimmern, Alice. Old tales from Rome. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1906. 12+294 p. il. D. cl., \$1.25.

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rule was adopted January 8, and was printed in *THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY* for January 11 of that year. This is the rule under which the \$1.50 "big sellers" are sold commonly to the public at \$1.08 and to libraries at \$1, and furnishes a very fair illustration of the factitious nature of the "advertised price" on such books. Reference is also made to "The Political History of England," in twelve volumes, in course of publication by the Longmans, in London and New York, with the statement that the London price is \$20 and the New York price to libraries \$25. As a matter of fact, the London price is 7s. 6d., net, per volume, or £4 10s. the set, and a special price of £4 the set is made to advance subscribers. We are informed by the New York branch of the house that a special price of \$20 is also made to libraries in America ordering in advance and furnishing the necessary authority to import duty free. The \$25 price quoted was for ordinary orders from stock, without reference to the special privilege of libraries. It would seem that in fairness correction to this effect should be made by the committee.

A THIRD reference may also be misleading. Miss Hapgood's "translation of Turgenief," in sixteen volumes, an American translation, is published by the Scribners in a subscription edition at \$2 the volume, with a 5 per cent. discount for cash. Of this edition 250 sets were sold to Dent in London for the English market exclusively, and we find no record of the English price nor can the American publishers inform us on this point. Whether the book was published at a lower price in London, or whether it did not succeed there and the "remainder" was sold by Dent to one of the so-called "remainder booksellers," we cannot at this writing say. We may return later to this general question of English prices for American books.

WORK OF THE AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY.

AT the annual meeting of the American Tract Society, held in Washington, D. C., on March 25, the field secretary, the Rev. Judson Smith, of New York, in his report on the work of the society, showed that the periodical circulation for the past year was 2,858,900, making a grand total since its organization of 754,956,946 volumes, tracts and periodicals. The society's work in connection with the immigration problem was described at some length, including its system of colportage at Ellis Island, which not only cares for immigrants on arrival, but visits them at their homes. In the sixty-four years this branch had been established its colporters had paid 15,500,000 family visits and distributed 16,500,000 volumes.

TO MOVE SECOND-CLASS MAIL FASTER.

In regard to the proposed plans for expediting the movement of second and third class mail matter in New York, Postmaster Willcox is reported to have said that he had been considering the matter ever since he took office and had recommended to the Postmaster-General certain changes in the laws now governing the handling of mail matter.

According to the present postal regulations, matter taken from publication offices direct to the mail trains is not properly mail, although weighed by Government inspectors, because it is not transported by regular mail carriers. Postmaster Willcox has recommended to the Postmaster-General that an amendment be added to the postal regulations allowing all periodicals to be weighed by Government inspectors, and providing that "catch tickets" be issued for them and that they shall then be considered mail. The proposed amendment would also grant to the wagons carrying such matter the full privileges of regular mail wagons.

These regulations would do away with the present cumbersome system of handling these periodicals twice, and they have the unanimous indorsement of local publishers.

The annual postoffice statement for the year 1905, just issued by Postmaster Willcox, shows that the average weight of second, third and fourth class matter disposed of in one day was 739,620 pounds, and of letters 32,813 pounds. What is needed to keep pace with this ever-increasing bulk and weight of mail, Mr. Willcox says, is rapid means of transportation to keep the mail moving, and at no point is it so much needed as in New York's central or main office, from which all the foreign money order business of the country is distributed, as well as the registered, domestic and city letters. Subway connections, as well as pneumatic tubes, he says, should be supplied to solve properly this important problem.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING REFORM.

A PRELIMINARY report on the subject of public printing was presented on March 26 to the Senate by Chairman Platt, of the Joint Congressional Committee on Printing.

The committee also submitted two joint resolutions, with the object of carrying into effect their recommendations for reform in two directions. The first is in regard to the distribution of documents by Senators and Representatives. Under the existing system each member of either body is allotted the same number of copies of a publication, without the slightest regard to the needs of his constituents.

Thus the North Dakota Representatives have the same quota of reports on citrus fruits as have the Florida members, and the members from the thickly populated districts of New York City have the same quota of reports on irrigation or beet culture as the member from Nevada. The result is the ac-

cumulation of unused documents, there being now stored in Government warehouses 9538 tons of such matter, and this regardless of the fact that thousands of tons have been sold in recent years to junk dealers.

Without changing the number allotted to each Senator or Representative, the committee recommends that the first edition of any given document be limited to the number that would actually be used, and if that is exhausted another edition be printed.

As illustrating the point, the committee refers to the printing of 10,642 copies of the impeachment proceedings against Judge Swayne, which cost \$5729, and to the fact that 7100 copies remain undistributed, with no probability of a future demand. To print a second edition would cost only \$85, and the saving would have been \$2684.

The bound *Congressional Records* for the second session of the Fifty-eighth Congress comprised 93,100 volumes, costing \$122,323, of which 61,565 volumes are undistributed. A second edition would entail an extra cost of \$1225. This saving would be \$75,115.

The second recommendation of the committee is that the printing for the various executive departments over which there is no supervision be placed under control of the public printer, as a sound business proposition which would result in a great saving.

The joint resolution was passed by the House; also one relieving the appropriation for Congressional printing from being charged with the cost of any department reports or documents, except for that portion of the edition distributed by Congress. This, it is expected, will work a very substantial decrease in the amount of printing ordered by the several departments.

UNAUTHORIZED CANVASSERS FOR MAPS.

THE director of the United States Geological Survey, in an official circular, warns the public against persons representing themselves as canvassers for the sale of survey maps. Persons taking orders in Brooklyn and Rochester, N. Y., for maps of parts of the State of New York, to be sold for \$2 each, have represented themselves as authorized canvassers for the sale of maps prepared and published by the United States Geological Survey. The Federal Survey publishes no State maps and employs no canvassers. Booksellers, stationers and other business firms throughout the country have consented to act as agents for the sale of the Survey's topographic atlas sheets. These agents are authorized to sell at prices slightly in advance of the regular rate, in order to repay them for the trouble and expense of handling the maps. The price of single sheets sold to everybody by the Survey is 5 cents; if agents ask 10 or 15 cents, most people are willing to pay the difference for the privilege of examining and selecting the maps before purchasing them, and for avoiding the delay incident to ordering by mail.

FICTION IN DEMAND IN FEBRUARY.

THE following is *The Bookman's* list of the six most popular novels in order of demand between the 1st of February and the 1st of March:

	POINTS
1. <i>Wheel of Life.</i> Glasgow. <i>Doubleday, Page & Co.</i>	238
2. <i>House of a Thousand Candles.</i> Nicholson. <i>Bobbs-Merrill Co.</i>	175
3. <i>House of Mirth.</i> Wharton. <i>Scribner's</i>	160
4. <i>Conquest of Canaan.</i> Tarkington. <i>Harper</i>	156
5. <i>Barbara Winslow, Rebel.</i> Ellis. <i>Dodd, Mead & Co.</i>	100
6. <i>A Maker of History.</i> Oppenheim. <i>Little, Brown & Co.</i>	88

CHARLES E. LAURIAT COMPANY
TO CHANGE QUARTERS.

THE proposed removal of the Charles E. Lauriat Company from their old stand at 301 Washington Street, Boston, opposite the venerable Old South, is an event that calls for more than the mere mention we gave it last week, when through a misapprehension we anticipated the event by at least six weeks. It was in 1872, just three months before the historic fire, that the firm of Estes & Lauriat, the predecessors of the present firm, began business in the store at 299-301 Washington Street. The great fire came, and stopped at the very threshold of their store. Indeed, their stock was badly damaged by the blowing out of the front of their building in the efforts to halt the progress of the fire, and by the removal of a large part of their fine books to a place of safety. Notwithstanding the discouragement occasioned by this calamity, the firm proceeded to carry out their plans. Steadily the business grew in both directions—in the publishing and in the retailing of miscellaneous books—until it was found necessary, in 1890, to erect a special plant, the Estes Press Building, on Summer Street, to house the publishing business, and to give the retail business an opportunity of spreading out at the old stand on Washington Street. Again, in 1898, it was deemed advisable to separate the two branches of the business entirely, and then the senior member of the firm, under the name of Dana Estes & Company took over the publishing business, Mr. Lauriat continuing the miscellaneous business under the firm name of the Charles E. Lauriat Company.

Step by step the retail business developed and grew until it finally literally outgrew its present accommodations, and the necessity of a change confronted the firm. Besides this, changes in traffic have been going on quietly for a number of years, and the trend of retail trade has been steadily toward the south, so that the Lauriat Company have felt themselves getting to be farther away from the shopping district than they once were. The W. B. Clarke Company were the first to realize this, removing to the Brimstone Corner and more recently to the Kimball Building on Tremont Street. The

Old Corner Bookstore next followed to Bromfield Street. Now it is rumored that De Wolfe, Fiske & Co. will move into Bromfield Street, and that Little, Brown & Co. are also contemplating removal. If this be true, it will mean that in three years every large bookseller in Boston has shifted his quarters.

In their new quarters at 385 Washington Street, directly opposite the head of Franklin Street, in the new Washington Building, to which they expect to remove in May, they will have not only a larger, but a better lighted and better equipped establishment, with better facilities for showing their stock than was possible in the old store. They propose to move only a minimum of their old stock, hoping to close it out during the next few weeks through sales at prices unusually favorable to the purchasers.

BOOKTRADE ASSOCIATIONS.

AMERICAN PUBLISHERS' COPYRIGHT LEAGUE.

THE annual meeting of the American Publishers' Copyright League will be held on Friday, April 6, 4 P.M., at the Aldine Association, 111 Fifth Avenue. A report will be given concerning the progress of the work that has been done, as a result of the three conferences, in the revision of the copyright law. Instructions will also be required for the representatives of the League who are to be present at the International Congress of Publishers to be held in Milan in June.

BUSINESS NOTES.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—The Niel Morrow Ladd Book Co., of 646 Fulton Street, having outgrown their present quarters, have leased the adjoining store, and will combine it with their present store as soon as alterations are completed.

CLEVELAND, O.—The Arthur H. Clark Company, publishers and booksellers, will remove on April 2 to larger and more convenient quarters on the second floor of the Caxton Building.

HOUSTON, TEX.—Henry W. Gammel, who for ten years has been connected with his father's store at Austin, has become manager of the Houston Book Company, dealers in new and second-hand books and periodicals, at 1211 Congress Avenue.

NEW YORK CITY.—Florence E. Bate, well known to the trade through her connection with McClure, Phillips & Co., etc., has opened a studio shop at 114 East Twenty-eighth Street, (Room 307,) where gifts, including special editions of books and fine stationery, may be found suitable for birthdays, commencements, engagements, weddings or for any occasion when an attractive present is desired.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Educational Publishing Company have removed their New York offices to 18 East 17th Street.

NEW YORK CITY.—Grosset & Dunlap are now in their new quarters at 52 Duane Street, where they have part of the floor formerly

occupied by the Federal Book Company. They have in preparation many desirable additions to their list, and have added to their force W. B. Hadley, lately connected with H. S. Stone & Co.

NEW YORK CITY.—C. S. Hammond & Co. have removed from 163 Broadway to the building nearly opposite, 152 Broadway, where they have enlarged and improved facilities for their map and atlas business. This concern reports an extensive sale of their modern atlas of the world, which has, within one year from its first publication, passed through four large editions. They have just issued their new catalogue of map and atlas publications, in which are included full descriptions of their new school maps.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Rohde & Haskins Company have acquired the stock, fixtures, lease and goodwill of the firm of Rohde & Haskins, booksellers, stationers, importers and publishers, at No. 1 Cortlandt Street. The business was originally established in 1886 as McHale & Rohde at No. 9 Cortlandt Street. Mr. McHale withdrawing in 1898, the business was continued by Rohde & Haskins, and in 1902 removed to the present location at 16 Cortlandt Street. The progressive policy and enterprise inaugurated by Rohde & Haskins will be developed on a larger scale by the new company, whose officers are L. C. Lathrop, president; William Rohde, vice-president and general manager; Henry Stanley Haskins, secretary and treasurer. The company has a long lease and will have their store altered and much improved.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—T. & J. W. Johnson & Co., law publishers, have been incorporated, and will be conducted as the T. & J. W. Johnson Company.

PINE BLUFF, ARK.—John R. Stanton has opened a bookstore here.

SALEM, MASS.—C. M. Duren, bookseller, at Everett, Mass., has opened a bookstore here at 97 Washington Street.

SCRANTON, PA.—Plans are being prepared by the International Textbook Company to build an extensive addition to its printing plant. The addition is made necessary on account of the vast increase in business.

SEDALIA, Mo.—M. L. Starr, bookseller, has closed out his business.

WATERBURY, CONN.—George N. Ellis, bookseller, died a week ago.

WATERTOWN, N. Y.—The bookstore formerly owned by W. H. Halladay, adjoining the bookstore of E. N. Smith & Co., was opened a week ago by the Powers Book and Stationery Company, which now controls both stores and will run them under one management. The officers of the new company are: I. P. Powers, president; E. N. Smith, vice-president; George Miner, secretary, and J. H. Bradley, treasurer. The store formerly owned by E. N. Smith & Co. will be controlled as formerly by Manager J. H. Bradley, while George Miner, who was for several years with W. H. Halladay, will manage the store just opened.

OBITUARY NOTES.

COLONEL HARVEY KING SHACKLEFORD, the creator of the "Fred Farnot" series of stories, died at Atlanta, Ga., March 25. He was born near Greenville, Ga., in 1846, and he began to write about thirty years ago. Although the demand was great his facility as a writer enabled him to keep up the supply. Colonel Shackleford, his secretary says, would dictate a 10,000-word story at one sitting, only stopping occasionally to take a cup of strong coffee.

PROFESSOR JAMES MILL PIERCE, the ranking professor of Harvard University and the author of several important works on mathematics, died at Cambridge, Mass., March 21. Professor Pierce was born at Cambridge, May 1, 1834, and was graduated from Harvard twenty years later. Since 1854 he had been connected with the faculty, becoming university professor in 1869 and Perkins professor in 1885. His published works are "Text-Book of Analytic Geometry," "Three and Four-Place Tables," "Elements of Logarithms," and "Mathematical Tables Chiefly to Four Figures."

PERSONAL NOTES.

CASS RICHARDSON sailed for Europe on the 23d inst., to search the market for rare books and sets for E. P. Dutton & Co.

DESMOND FITZGERALD is representing John W. Luce & Co. in New York as well as in the principal cities of the United States.

HENRY DEXTER, one of the founders of the American News Company, on March 14 celebrated his ninety-third birthday. In spite of his advanced age Mr. Dexter is still active and keeps in touch with the affairs of the American News Company, as well as with numerous other interests.

OLD BOOK NOTES.

THE manuscript of Burns's poem "To Mary in Heaven" was sold at auction on March 27 at Sotheby's for \$760, and that of Dr. Brown's "Rab and His Friends" for \$200.

A FIRE on March 25 partly destroyed the home of Julian Hawthorne, the son of Nathaniel Hawthorne, at Yonkers, N. Y. Fortunately all the valuable manuscripts were rescued, only a few of them being damaged by water.

HENRY THORPE, while cataloguing a collection of books for the Merwin-Clayton Company on March 23, caught a real live book-worm in an old volume of Shakespeare's works. The worm had made its way through a portion of the book, and died shortly after he was found.

LORD STRATHCONA and Mount Royal, the Canadian high commissioner, has come to the assistance of the Bodleian Library of Oxford University, with a gift of \$2500 to complete the total sum which was necessary to secure the first folio of the works of Shakespeare, for which an American collector offered \$15,000.

JOSEPH BAER & Co., of Frankfurt-a.-M., offers for sale a copy of the Mainz Psalter of 1457, the last that is likely to come into the market. The copy, which was once the property of the Westerholt family of Austria, is said to be unusually well preserved. The price asked for it is \$19,200, a mere bagatelle, no doubt, for the American who is actually bargaining for the treasure, but a source of great tribulation to our colleagues in the Fatherland.

THE London *Telegraph* says that the hitherto unknown seller of Lord Nelson's "General Memorandum" to his captains at the battle of Trafalgar is a London omnibus driver, whose father was a servant of an unnamed admiral, who gave him an old desk containing the historical document. The driver who inherited the desk did not know the paper was valuable. He only learned that it was worth money through a chance conversation with a passenger on his omnibus. He has invested the \$18,000 which the document brought recently at an auction at Christie's, and continues driving the omnibus.

A GENUINE fourth edition copy of Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress," with the rare portrait of Bunyan dreaming, by R. White, was bought at Sotheby's on March 27, on American orders for \$505. The fourth edition of "The Pilgrim's Progress" is so rare that the sale of only one other copy in recent years can be traced. That one, which was without the portrait and was otherwise defective, brought \$60 in 1894. The portrait is interesting, too, because, the book having been pirated, the publisher of the fourth edition put on the back of the portrait this notice: "The fourth edition hath, as the third had, the author's picture before the title, and hath more than twenty-two passages of additions, pertinently placed quite through the Book, which the counterfeit hath not."

MILD excitement was raised last week among collectors and dealers in old books by the report that John Boyd Thacher, ex-mayor of Albany, N. Y., had received something like \$10,000 for a copy of a New England Primer purchased recently by him for a trifling sum at an auction sale. Is it possible that a copy of the "unseen" edition printed by R. Pierce for Benjamin Harris between 1687 and 1690 has come to light "unseen" and so was knocked down in an auction room unknown? Of course, such things have happened: but that was in an age when Bay Psalm Books and New England Primers were not so well watched as in this generation. Until Mr. Thacher returns from Europe and reveals, the Book Marines will no doubt repeat this story with bated breath.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

THE BOBBS-MERRILL COMPANY have just ready for the trade "The Challenge," by Warren Cheney, a romance of life among the Russian traders and trappers in Alaska, with illustrations by N. C. Wyeth.

LINCOLN STEFFEN's new book, dealing with corruption in State governments, which was announced as "Enemies of the Republic," has been renamed "The Shame of the States," thus making it uniform in title with Mr. Steffens's earlier book, "The Shame of the Cities."

THE J. B. LIPPINCOTT COMPANY have just published the latest contribution to medical literature by Dr. Alfred C. Cotton, entitled "Cotton's Diseases of Children." The work is fully illustrated with new half-tones and skiagrams from photographs, and will no doubt be widely used as a work of ready reference by practitioners.

THE UNITED STATES RECORD COMPANY, 114 Fifth Avenue, New York, announces "The Encyclopædia of the United States," which, when completed, will fill thirty octavo volumes of about 1000 pages each. The first volume, the one on New York, will be ready next August. The editor-in-chief of the work is William Montgomery Clemens.

F. M. BUCKLES & Co., 18 East Seventeenth Street, New York City, have just brought out in two neat volumes "The Poems of Oscar Wilde," which, we understand, is the first complete collection of Wilde's poetry to appear either in this country or in England. They have in preparation the last novel written by Guy Boothby, entitled "The Race of Life."

DODD, MEAD & Co. will bring out next month a volume entitled "Magazine Articles I Have Read," by Burton Emmett, a blank book arranged for records under subject classification, with spaces for title, author, name of magazine, date, volume and remarks of such stories, poems and other magazine articles as a reader may wish to note for future reference.

IN response to 516 blanks sent out by Secretary R. J. Smith, of the National Association of Stationers and Manufacturers, 242 have been returned, showing 171 votes in favor of June. As probably the majority who will answer have sent in their votes, it is likely that the date will be set for the middle of June, and then, as the poet has it, "there'll be a hot time in our town."

ROBERT GRIER COOKE has nearly ready a volume of caricatures by Signor Caruso, the famous tenor, which will be entitled "Caruso's Book." The volume will contain nearly 200 hand-colored studies in character of people in and of the Metropolitan Opera House. Henri Pène du Bois furnished an introduction to the book, each copy of which is autographed by the artist.

THE FLEMING H. REVELL COMPANY have just published a biography of Dr. John Witherspoon, by his great-grandson, David Walker Woods, Jr. Dr. Witherspoon, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, was a lineal descendant of John Knox, the founder of Scotland's religious freedom, a statesman of first rank, an educator of wonderful ability, and a theologian who may be

said to have been the real founder of Princeton College.

SISLEY'S, LTD., London, are following up their success in publishing the *Cameo Classics*, a collection of the world's best books, well printed, bound in cloth, at sixpence, with a new series entitled *The Panel Books*, bound in cloth, at 2s. 6d net, in half leather, at 3s. net, and in full leather at 3s. 6d. net. They have also started a series of books for young people, *The Children's Classics*, bound in cloth, and each illustrated with eight plates in color, at sixpence net.

THE JOHN LANE COMPANY publish this week in their *Crown Library* "The Reformation in England," by Samuel Roffey Maitland, edited, with an introduction, by the Rev. A. W. Hutton. The book is illustrated with a number of old portraits. They have also just ready in the *Country Handbook* series a work on "The Country Cottage," by George D. Morris and Esther Wood, which aims to help those who intend to build, and keeps closely to the practical problems by illustrating the general discussion with references to striking and successful instances of cottage design.

HARPER & BROTHERS will publish on April 4 Rex E. Beach's novel, "The Spoilers," a story of the northern gold fields, the plot of which turns on a gigantic conspiracy to dispossess the original owners of their rich mining properties, with some striking illustrations from drawings by Clarence F. Underwood; "Alice in Wonderland," "Through the Looking-Glass" and "The Hunting of the Snark," by Lewis Carroll, with illustrations by Peter Newell, three new volumes in the *Young People Series*; also, the new volume of poems by Louise Morgan Sill, entitled "In Sun or Shade."

AT a recent meeting of the London Chamber of Commerce it was voted to include Esperanto, the new universal language, in its examinations. The rules for examinations will be the same as for French, German and Spanish, tests being the student's ability to translate, compose and converse, and, as early as May 30 of this year diplomas will be awarded. Simplicity itself is the principal characteristic of this new international language. Its text books are published in this country by Fleming H. Revell Company, and include a grammar, Esperanto-English and English-Esperanto dictionaries and some small primers.

THE WEBB PUBLISHING COMPANY, St. Paul, Minn., will publish shortly a work on "Evergreens, How to Grow Them," by C. S. Harrison, of York, Neb., which covers the subject of the growth of evergreens from nursery stock or seed. They will publish in May a work on "Farm Windbreaks and Shelterbelts," by Professor Samuel B. Green, of the Minnesota State Agricultural School, author of "Vegetable Gardening" and "Amateur Fruit Growing and Forestry in Minnesota." In his new book Professor Green treats of the growth and care of deciduous trees from forest seedlings or nursery stock, covering the subjects of ash, elm, willow, maple, etc.

THE Syndics of the Cambridge University Press have arranged to publish a comprehensive "History of English Literature," on a scale and plan more or less resembling that of "The Cambridge Modern History." The work will be published in about twelve royal octavo volumes of some 400 pages each, and will cover the whole course of English literature from "Beowulf" to the end of the Victorian age. The action of foreign influences, and the part taken by secondary writers in successive literary movements will receive a larger share of attention than is possible in shorter histories, in which lesser writers are apt to be overshadowed. Each volume will contain a sufficient bibliography, and the whole will be edited by Dr. A. W. Ward, Master of Peterhouse, and A. R. Waller.

A. S. BARNES & COMPANY announce for spring publication a novel by Ernest Poole, entitled "The Voice of the Street." Mr. Poole's magazine articles on "tenement life" have brought him prominently before the thinking public and this, his first novel, is awaited with much interest. They will bring out in the *Great Writers* series a volume by Tudor Jenks, entitled "In the Days of Scott," a companion volume to his Chaucer, Shakespeare and Milton, in the same series, all of which have been exceedingly well received both by the general reader and by teachers and students of literature in the schools. Mr. Jenks has succeeded in sketching the surroundings, influences and conditions of the picturesque period of the "Wizard of the North," and given a charming life story of Scott and his work.

G. E. STECHERT & Co. have just brought out Part 1 of the first volume of Kuno Meyer's "Contributions to Irish Lexicography," the outcome of about twelve years' desultory reading of middle and early modern Irish books and manuscripts, which is another monumental demonstration of Teutonic scholarship and endurance. Already the addenda and corrigenda under the first three letters of the alphabet comprised in this volume make thirty pages, a proof of the untiring watchfulness of its compiler. Other new books that can be furnished by this house include "Illustrated Guide to Athens and the Environs," made up from the handbooks of Baedeker and others; "The Roman Forum, Its History and Monuments," by Christian Huelsen, translated from the second German edition by Jesse Benedict Carter; also, Baron Friedrich W. Bissing's "Monuments of Egyptian Sculpture," just started by Bruckmann in Munich, of which there will be twelve large folio parts in portfolios, the first of which is now ready.

E. P. DUTTON & Co. will publish next week a book of travel entitled "Ten Thousand Miles in a Yacht," by Richard Arthur, a young man of letters not unknown to magazine readers in this country and in England. The ten thousand miles described (and illustrated with over a hundred and fifty exceptionally good half-tones) were those traversed by the steam yacht *Virginia* on the record cruise organized by Commodore Benedict,

which the well-known vessel made last winter round the West Indies and a thousand miles up the Amazon River. The pictures of the Amazon country, and parts of the story are calculated to make a particular appeal to those interested in India rubber, one of the objects of the cruise being to investigate the sources of the supply of Brazilian rubber. W. M. Ivins, who made such a lively campaign as the Republican candidate in the late New York mayoral election, was one of the cruising party, and he has written a characteristic introduction to Mr. Arthur's book.

T. WERNER LAURIE, London, has just brought out a charming volume on "Fishing for Pleasure and Catching It," by Edward Marston, of the firm of Sampson Low, Marston & Co., to which his son, R. B. Marston, has added two chapters on "Angling in North Wales." The book treats mainly of fish and fishing from the standpoint of an expert fisherman, but always most entertainingly, and incidentally describes with the touch of a poet and true lover of nature the localities and scenes through which this particular fisherman and his friends passed, which makes it worthy of a place on the shelf besides the work of that master piscator, Walton. The author in his preface to his latest volume, which completes a round dozen of books by his hands, thinks that "now surely the time has arrived for me to cry off." His friends, however, will not agree with this, and hope that the "Amateur Angler" may be spared the strength to write many another such good book as this. Charles Scribner's Sons have an edition for the American market.

L. C. PAGE & Co. will publish early next month "The Voyage of *The Arrow*," by Captain T. Jenkins Hains, which, like his "Wind-jammers" and "Black Barque," is a strong and realistic story of life on the high seas, written with that attention to correct detail and skill in narration that stamps all his work. Captain Hains comes of a long line of distinguished British and American naval and army officers. His grandfather, Thornton Jenkins, was read-admiral of the United States Navy; his cousin, Sir Robert Jenkins, K.C.B., was vice-admiral of the Royal Navy. Both rendered valuable service in the suppression of the slave trade. His father, General Hains, was secretary of the Lighthouse Board, with Captain (now Admiral) Dewey as naval secretary, while both his brothers are officers in the United States army. They announce a new edition of "The Sandman, More Farm Stories," by William J. Hopkins. The New York State Board of Education has recently included Mr. Hopkins's two "Sandman" books in their list of publications recommended for children's supplementary school reading, or for kindergarten use.

THE MACMILLAN COMPANY publish this week "Municipal Ownership in Great Britain," by Professor Hugo Richard Meyer; "Wessex: Painted by Walter Tyndale, Described by Clive Holland;" "Brief Literary Criticisms," by the late Richard Holt Hutton, selected from the *Spectator*, and edited by his niece, Elizabeth M. Roscoe; "The Arbitrator in

Council;" "The Little Cyclopædia of Common Things," by the Rev. Sir George W. Cox; "A Declaration on Biblical Criticism," by 1725 clergy of the Anglican Communion, edited by Hubert Handley; volume II. of "The Works of Francis Beaumont and John Fletcher," in the *Cambridge English Classics*; "Studies in Roman History," by E. G. Hardy; "Summary of English History," by Norman L. Frazer; "Religions of the Past and the Religion of the Future," by "Senex;" "Plutarch's Lives," translated by W. R. Frazer, in the *New Classical Library*, edited by Dr. Emil Reich; and "The Writers' and Artists' Year-Book, 1906." Mr. George P. Brett, president of the Macmillan Company, who has just returned from England, reports that he has made arrangements for the publication in this country of the following books of special interest: Bram Stoker's "Life of Sir Henry Irving;" "Life of Lord Leighton," in two volumes, by Mrs. Russell Barrington, who wrote the biography of G. F. Watts that appeared last fall; "Vacation Rambles in London," by E. V. Lucas, uniform with "A Wanderer in Holland," by the same author; the authorized life of the late Walter Crane, which will contain many interesting illustrations not before reproduced; "Harold," the next drama to come from the pen of Stephen Phillips, whose "Nero," written last year, is just published; Muther's "History of Modern Painting," in four volumes, revised and enlarged; "The Fair Hills of Ireland," by Stephen Gwynn, delightfully illustrated by Hugh Thomson; a new edition of the "Novels of Ivan Turgenev," in fifteen volumes; and a new and cheaper edition of "Main Currents in Nineteenth Century Literature," by George Brandes.

AUCTION SALES.

APRIL 2, 3, 3 P.M.—Library, correspondence and original cartoons of the late Thomas Nast. (610 lots.)—*Merwin-Clayton*.

APRIL 3, 4, 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.—Autograph letters and documents chiefly relating to American persons and events; also, relics of Lincoln and Charles Willson Peale. (1165 lots.)—*Davis & Harvey*, (Stan V. Henkels, auctioneer.)

APRIL 3, 8 P.M.—Original drawings and paintings in black and white, water colors and oils by the well-known illustrator, Sydney Adamson. (99 lots.)—*Anderson*.

APRIL 4, 3 P.M.—Books, autograph letters and engravings. (349 lots.)—*Merwin-Clayton*.

APRIL 6-10, 3 and 7:30 P.M.—Part III. (and concluding portion) of the private library of Charles L. Peacock, of New York City. (1833 lots.)—*Anderson*.

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